

Major Paul Richards named to edit Universe

Taking up the reins of editing of the Daily Universe Wednesday is journalism major Paul C. Richards, the Student Publications Board announced today night. He was selected in a field of six applicants.

RICHARDS has been news editor of the Universe since the beginning of the year and also worked for six months in Provo bureau and Salt Lake City office of the Salt

Lake Tribune as a reporter and copywriter.

The 25-year-old senior is originally from San Bernardino, Calif.

A general staff meeting of all Universe staffers and those wishing to work for the newspaper will be held Wednesday at 3 p.m. in the Universe office, Richards announced.

A reorganization and policy statement will be made at that time, he said.

His term of office will be for the remainder of the academic school year. It was necessary to select a new editor to fill the vacancy created when Millard E. Wilde, graduate journalism student, withdrew from school. Wilde has agreed to aid in the editorial transitional period.

Richards has served in the army and has been on a mission to Germany for the LDS Church.

AT ITS MEETINGS, the board discussed several ideas for relieving Universe staff members of the "tremendous" pressures which accompany the work.

It was noted that Wilde is the fourth editor chosen in the past three years who has served only part of his appointment because of job pressures, said Noel Durden, Student Publications adviser.



PAUL C. RICHARDS

Social units to party Saturday night

The Old Mill in Salt Lake City will be the scene of the Inter-Social Unit Christmas party Saturday for all social unit members, their dates and unit sponsors.

The theme of the formal dance, which starts at 8:30 p.m., is "Wassili," an old English word meaning the "festival of drinking good health to all people."

OLD ENGLISH decorations are being planned with a doorman, who will greet the partygoers, carolers and old English refreshments.

Unit members will dance to the music of the Benny Knudsen Silhouette Orchestra.

CHAIRMAN for the event are Cliff Stubbs and Marlene Monson. Lizz Mulford, Marsha Riddle, Jack Boardman and Sidney Smith are in charge of decorations.

Invitations are under the direction of Judy Rasmussen and Gail McPherson. Refreshments are being arranged by Wares Stringham, Gloria Camarillo and Richard Myers.

JIM KIRKHAM, Jeanie Merrill and Ray Goodsen are in charge of the program. Marlene Monson is publicity chairman and Sharon Yancey will be patron for the night.

AWS fashion show is event of Women's Week

Christmas carolers and a top-hatted doorman will greet students at the AWS Women's Week Fashion Show Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the multipurpose area of the Smith Family Living Center.

"The Empress' New Clothes" will be shown in a festive holiday atmosphere, according to Kathy Medley, chairman of the show. Men are extended a special invitation, she said.



POSSURE PLUS — Luanne Cagle rehearses for the Women's Week show.

CLOTHES OF ALL types including sleepwear, sportswear, ski clothes, campus casuals and holiday party dresses will be shown, climaxed by an elegant bride's gown, said Miss Medley.

ON WEDNESDAY BYU models for the evening show will wear black and a tag announcing the time and place of the show. Guests include: LeAnn Cagle, Elva Rosenoil, Pat Gray, Marge Green, Carol Rosen, Doni Louder, Marva Anderson, Jean Stratford, Kathy Allen, Sandy Johnson, Aussie Hinson, Denny Sumner, Jean Dalley, Connie Cloward and Terry and Sherry Perkins will model.

The KB Quintet, led by Kay Bergen, will provide background music.

ENTERTAINMENT will be a main feature of the show, said Miss Medley. Elva Rosenoil will dance as the empress' court jester. The Melo-D's, Judy Bishop, Carol Nielson and Nedra Fulmer, will sing Christmas carols. A reading by Carol Toland will tell more about the "Empress' New Clothes."

Irene Jensen and Grenade Curran, both active in the television department, will narrate the show. Curran has had professional movie and modeling experience. Judy Hull, Salanne Merrill and Jan Tyler assisted Miss Jensen on the script.

ANOTHER HIGHLIGHT of the evening, according to Miss Medley, will be the announcement and presentation of the winner of the Miss Collegiate contest. The four finalists are Marge Green, Carol Rosen, Loretta Johns and Sharmen Sterling. The winner will be awarded a bouquet of roses and many other prizes and honors, said Miss Medley.

The storybook which appears in front of the Smith Family Living Center throughout Women's Week will be a feature in the background for the show.

"IT HAS BEEN a lot of work but it is going to be a terrific show," said Miss Medley and her committee, Jean Dalley and Elva Rosenoil.

Wise Heritage Hall gals named 'Y's Wizardesses' for achievement

The Y's Wizardesses is a very smart gal who knows that a man wants more than a pal. She knows he wants more than a painted eyebrow. She knows that the Y's ones know that the time is now.

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The poem, written by Gary Oden, stresses academic achievement during Women's Week. The picture of a studious, well-rounded coed appears in the Tuesday page of the Women's Week storybook in

front of the Smith Family Living Center.

AS THE ACTIVITIES of Women's Week unfold from day to day the pages are turned to a new emphasis. Jensen wrote all the poetry appearing in the "storybook."

Each of the colleges in which girls are more likely to be enrolled recommended a girl from each of the three classes for class honors. Pat Taylor, chairman of Academic Emphasis activities, made the final choice from these recommendations.

SOPHOMORES Diane Roskelley and Marie Karchner, junior Susan Swenson and senior Naomi Foster Goodman were chosen as the class representatives.

Miss Roskelley, from Buhl, Idaho, has a 4.0 average and is majoring in music. She is a member of the concert band,

symphony orchestra and oratorio choir and is organist for 34th Ward. When informed of her selection Miss Roskelley said, "It's a wonderful honor and I'm thrilled."

MISS KARCHNER from Bountiful, Utah, has a 4.0 average. An English major, she is in the honors program, Alpha Lambda Delta and Sigma Kappa and is secretary of her MIA. "I consider it an honor and privilege to represent the other girls in the sophomore class who have achieved scholastically," Miss Karchner said.

Miss Swenson from Nampa, Idaho, a transfer from Ricks (Continued on page 4)

Bad weather hinders search for ex-Y trio

HONOLULU Foggy weather Tuesday forced a halt to an air-sea search near the island of Oahu for a light plane carrying four persons—three of whom are former BYU students—missing since Sunday.

Reported missing are Scott Farmer, 27, a BYU graduate in 1957 and football halfback in 1955-56; Kathleen Harris, 19, BYU student in 1960-61; and Patricia Ruth Robinson, 26, BYU psychology graduate, 1957. Also missing is Fred C. Losey, Honolulu.

Mr. Farmer piloted the single engine plane which was en route from an outlying island to Oahu.

Coast Guard officials reported no sign of the missing four, some had been seen but rescue operations would continue providing weather conditions are favorable.



WORK PAYS OFF—From left, Naomi Foster, Susan Swenson, Gail Marie Karchner and Diane Roskelley are the "Y's Wizardesses" chosen for WS academic emphasis.

Book of Semester participants to read Plato's 'The Republic'

by Judith S. Williams
Universe Feature Writer

"The Republic" by Plato will be read by campus intellectuals in the new "Book of the Semester" program at BYU.

Promoted by the Academic Emphasis Committee, the program is designed to stimulate extra-curricular reading and discussion.

ACCORDING to committee chairman John Woodward, student leaders and other interested students should be present at a Wednesday meeting planned to explain the program and introduce the book. The meeting will be in 125 Knight Bldg. at 4:30 p.m.

Dr. Truman Madsen, chairman of the History and Philosophy of Religion Dept., will introduce "The Republic" at the meeting. Main business will include the selection of a student promotion committee for the program. Methods of choosing the book for following semesters will also be discussed, Woodward said.

THE "BOOK OF THE SEMESTER" program at BYU was inspired by Bob Standing, chairman of the campus leadership committee.

Standing heard of the program last spring at a leadership meeting at Bethel, Maine. Rutgers University at New Brunswick, N. J., has followed the program for 10 years, he said.

At BYU, Woodward explained, one book will be chosen each semester for emphasis, analysis and discussion.

An objective of the program is to create a social environment where broad, liberal, individual reading is important, he pointed out.

IN THE HARVARD version of the Cougarat, for example, is found intelligent conversation which makes good reading essential to social well-being he said.

The "Book of the Semester" program is designed to provide this type of environment in order to develop well-

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Campus news briefs . . .

Planetarium to show Yule stars

"Signpost to Wisemen" will be the topic of this month's planetarium lecture.

The lecture, which will be at 7 p.m. Thursday in Summers Planetarium, Eyring Science Center, will be a summary of astronomical phenomena which occurred near the time of the birth of Christ.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, the planetarium show costs 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for students.

Around the planetarium's dome the skyline of Provo can be easily identified. A projector throws images of the galaxies, planets, comets and even artificial satellites on the dome. Sunrises, sunsets and rainbows also can be simulated with the planetarium equipment.

SPECIAL SHOWINGS can be arranged by calling the BYU Public Relations Office at FR-4-1211, extension 2531.

Reading classes open

Early registration is encouraged to insure enrollment in the BYU speed reading class, according to Tom James, supervisor of the office of Special Courses and Conferences of BYU Adult Education Division.

A TESTING SESSION to de-

termine in which section students will be placed will be held Monday in 230 Eyring Science Center at 7:30 p.m., the supervisor explained.

The course includes nine weeks of instruction in reading speed and comprehension, Mr. James said.

INSTRUCTORS FOR THE course are Ernest L. Olson, Klea Worsley, Faye Buttle and Bill Judd.

To register students should contact the office of Special Courses and Conferences, Ext. 2411.

Students to man panel

Audra Matheson, a graduate in bacteriology, and Dallas Merrill, working on his M.A. in sociology, not bacteriology, are student members of the panel who will consider the remarks of speaker Dr. Stewart Williams at the graduate meeting Wednesday night.

Miss Matheson's name was left out of the story in Tuesday's Universe and Merrill's field of study was incorrectly reported.

Mat dance slated

A mat dance will be held

Wednesday from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. in the multi-purpose area of the Smith Family Living Center, according to Pat Baker, mat dance chairman.

Grady Edenfield's band will provide the music. A record album will be given away as door prize, Miss Baker said.

Tuition payment to start

The Cashier's Office will accept prepayment of tuition Thursday through Jan. 22, according to Muriel Thole, head cashier.

Students should present their activity card along with their payment in D-148 Smeot Administration Bldg., if they wish to pay early, Mrs. Thole said.

Pre-payment eliminates the necessity of standing in long lines during registration, she explained.

Students receive award

The annual Provo Rotary Research Award has been given to two BYU students, Dr. Bill Dixon, chairman of the Rotary Club Awards Committee, announced.

The winners are James D. Westover, a graduate student in chemistry, Provo, and Jerry Hyson, a senior majoring in business management, Pomona, Calif.

Westover received a cash award of \$50 for his research on "Gluconate for Commercial Use." Hyson received \$250 for his research on "Why Industry Avoids Provo."

Each year the Provo Rotary Club seeks to stimulate student research at the University by giving these awards. They are presented to students on a basis of outstanding contribution through research.

Students to read 'The Republic,' a work by Plato

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read students capable of intellectual discussion among themselves and with members of the faculty.

"We want students to invite professors to dinner, special breakfasts, or fireside discussions for analysis, discussion and critiques of the book," he said.

Another objective of the program is to break down barriers between different academic disciplines and professional specialties.

THE DISCUSSION of the same book by different people on campus should provide a common ground for an "intellectual unity" between faculty members in different fields and between faculty members and students, Woodward believes.

A steering committee chose "The Republic" for "spontaneous agreement." Members of the committee which also outlined the program are: faculty members Dr. John T. Bernhard, Dean West Belmont, Dr. Robert Thomas, Dr. Richard Bushman, Dr. Darrell Moses, Dr. Lyman Tyler, Dr. Douglas Smoot, and students Lowell Benson, Terry Warner, Dale Wright, Bob Standing and John Woodward.

"**THE DECISION** was really tough," Woodward said. "It was hard to choose between something current, such as disarmament, or something classic."

Calling Plato's book "really basic," Woodward recommended it as dealing with enough controversial subjects to give a "well-fed feeling."

DR. BERNHARD SAID "In my judgment, Plato's 'Republic' must be counted among the 10 top volumes of greatest significance in human history. In this small book are some provocative thoughts concerning government, education, justice and virtue which still challenge man's imaginative reason."

May sing-along with Santa Sat.

The Sing-Along with Santa program will bring into action Saturday from 6 to 7 p.m. around the decorated Christmas tree in front of President Wilkinson's residence.

ALL STUDENTS are invited to join in singing Christmas carols, according to chairman Karen Cassell.

As another part of the Sing-Along program, carols will be played over the public address system Monday and Tuesday.

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"Our Man in Havana"

204 report for blood-letting

Students, 204 of them, exchanged their blood for cookies and punch Tuesday.

This is just 246 pints short of the quota set by the Red Cross for the three-day campus blood drive.

STUDENTS MAY give Wednesday between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and Thursday between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. in 2270 Smith Family Living Center.

Red Cross personnel and volunteers, assisted by Angel Flight and AFROTIC, are attempting to make the time a student

must spend in giving his blood as short as possible, said Nora Hadley, Angel Flight publicity officer.

MISS HADLEY reminded prospective donors that all BYU students and their families have primary right to Red Cross blood when they need it because of student donations made in semi-annual drives.

Trophies will be awarded in each of the areas—geographical, service, honorary and social—to the unit that donates the most pints.



RY BATCHELOR—Third highest scorer in last K's two-game contest with UCLA, gets set for more on against Santa Clara.

ratings...

Alabama, Ohio State named top grid teams

By Joyce (UPI) Sugar Land, Ala., which put a perfect season, was named the nation's No. 1 major college football team for the United Press Intercollegiate Board of Coaches.

Crimson Tide, winner of eight games without a defeat unbeaten but once, Ohio State for the national championship in the final ballot of the 35 leading coaches, giving up 287 points while the opposition to 22, Alabama knocked off Georgia, Vanderbilt, North Carolina, Tennessee, Houston, Mississippi State, Richmond, and Tech and Auburn.

Bryant revealed today group of his players pre-four years ago that "they going to win the national championship."

Alabama will play Arkansas in the Sugar Bowl on New Year's Day.

Louisiana State, which plays Colorado in the Orange Bowl, finished third in the voting, nipping Texas, headed for the Cotton Bowl, 230-237.

Mississippi, bound for the Cotton Bowl against the Longhorns, was fifth; Minnesota, the 1950 champion, which meets UCLA in the Rose Bowl, was sixth; Colorado seventh, Arkansas eighth; Michigan State ninth and Utah State, which engages Baylor in the Gotham Bowl, ranked 10th to round out the nation's select group.

Team	Final Ratings	Points
1. Alabama (18)	(10-0)	318
2. Ohio State (15)	(8-0-1)	311
3. Louisiana State (9-1)		239
4. Texas (9-1)		237
5. Mississippi (7)	(9-1)	219
6. Minnesota (7-2)		163
7. Colorado (1)	(9-1)	124
8. Arkansas (8-2)		91
9. Michigan State (7-2)		76
10. Utah State (0-0-1)		28

Second 10-11 (tie), Purdue and Missouri, 11 each; 13, Georgia Tech 16; 14, Duke 11; 15, Kansas 10; 16, Syracuse 8; 17, Wyoming 7; 18, Wisconsin 6; 19 (tie), Miami (Fla.) and Penn State 4 each.

Cougars hit road

Coach Stan Watts' round-ball five will leave Provo Thursday to hit the road for the first time in the new season. Their first opponents will be Santa Clara at San Jose, Calif., Friday night.

Santa Clara was rated 21st.

BASKETBALL STATISTICS

Player	(2 Games)	Games	pts-gm	reb	pts	avg
Bob Swanson	2	20	23	19	47	23.5
Bob Wilson	2	31	10	4	25	12.5
Gary Johnson	2	11	4	6	17	8.5
Bruce Burton	2	21	6	11	14	7.0
Jim Kelson	2	18	6	17	11	7.0
Lloyd Johnson	2	18	6	20	13	6.5
Earl Steitke	2	5	3	3	6	3.0
Steve Mayhew	2	3	3	3	2	2.0
Stan Asby	1	2	0	0	0	—
John Alstrom	1	2	0	0	0	—
Bill Blumenthal	1	0	0	0	0	—



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